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ABSTRACT

Enriched pancreatic stem and progenitor cell populations, and methods for identifying, isolating, and enriching for pancreatic stem cells using reagents that bind to cell surface markers are provided.